

# THE COLEMAN BULLETIN

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## Mrs. W. A. Neil Wins the SILVERWARE...

Mrs. Neil had only one ticket—but it was number 4017—and was the winner. We congratulate Mrs. Neil on her good fortune and hope she may live long to enjoy the use of the beautiful silver service.

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## LOCAL AND GENERAL

Rev. Shires left for Calgary on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson returned home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. and Miss Murphy, of Nelson, are visiting with Mr. Ouimette.

A number of Russians went off Sabbath evening to help fight Germans.

Mrs. Emmert, of Chicago, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Bradley, at her home west of Sentinel.

Rev. T. M. Murray will preach on "Prayer and the War" on Sabbath morning; children's talk, "A Lame Hero." Evening subject, "Rest."

\$14.00 takes brand new horn saddle and bridle, worth \$35.00. New sanitary steel couch, with mattress, \$5.00. Mrs. Emmert, care of Bradley ranch, Crow's Nest Lake.

Messrs. H. G. Goodeve and W. L. Ouimette are improving the appearance of their residences of Third street by erecting attractive fences around their property.

Bishop Pinkham, of Calgary, conducted confirmation service in St. Alban's church here last Sunday morning, and was assisted by Rev. Middleton of the Blood reserve.

A. Derbyshire and J. Richards left for Pincher Creek on Sunday evening and Messrs. Price, Gregory, Anderson and Dobbie left for Fernie on Monday morning, all having enlisted.

A small railway smash-up took place at the depot Monday morning, a flat car being piled up. It was soon removed and the express was able to proceed west crossing on the sidetrack.

A meeting of all interested in the prohibition campaign will be held in the club room of the Institutional church, to discuss the proposed Act. Questions are invited. All are welcome. Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

## At the Opera House

That the Welsh-Ritchie fight pictures, which are to be exhibited at the opera house next Tuesday evening, May 25th, will prove immensely interesting to all lovers of clean and scientific boxing is beyond peradventure, judging by a paragraph or two taken from a report of the encounter the day after it occurred, viz:

"Rapid footwork and much infighting were pronounced features of the battle. The British victory was cheered to the echo, although there was some dissatisfaction among the American spectators at the decision, because neither man was bested at the finish. Although Welsh scored the greater number of blows, those of the American appeared to be more telling."

"It was a fine exhibition of boxing. Neither man went to the floor, and the struggle during the last six rounds was of a hurricane character."

"Welsh was the quicker and tapped Ritchie repeatedly on the face, finally drawing blood. The American tried continually for a knockout, but, either he was short or Welsh got inside or under the swing."

"Ritchie broke down when the decision was given against him and was in tears when he went to his dressing room."

"During the last four rounds Ritchie forced the fighting, trying hard for a knockout, while Welsh was plainly to win on points."

An admission fee of 25c. will be charged for adults and 10c. for children.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL

Commencing Sunday, May 30th, an extra train will be put on this line, when the Coleman time table will be as follows: Westbound—No. 513 at 8.30; No. 63 at 23.50. Eastbound—No. 514 at 20.37; No. 64 at 6.44.

It is worthy of note that every one of the employees of the C. P. R. at this point who have left Coleman since the present business depression set in have enlisted. There are no less than four of them, as follows: Fred Whay, M. R. Dean, V. Radnecki and Jas. Kerr.

The public meeting held in the opera house on Wednesday evening and which was addressed by Hon. Chas. Stewart, Minister of Public Works, was a great success and the speaker touched on a very timely theme when he took up the unemployment question. Lack of space makes it impossible for us to give an extended report of this meeting, but the speaker of the evening left a good impression with his hearers, many of whom heard him on this occasion for the first time.

On Sunday morning last Herdman McLeod was the victim of a very unfortunate accident whereby he lost his left foot and part of the leg. Mr. McLeod was engaged in his work at the McGillivray mine and while testing out some new machinery had the misfortune to get his foot caught with the above result. He was at once brought down to the Miners' Hospital, where Doctors Ross and Connor dressed the injured leg, and at latest reports he was progressing as well as could be expected.

The first of the season these strawberries are; they've come without freezin' from regions afar. They cost like blue blazes, like toadstools they smell, and each berry raises the H. C. of L. They're sickly and pallid, their bloom is a fake, too sour for a salad, too green for a cake. I swallow them slowly, they shrivel my gums, their taste is unholly, they're worse than green plums. But when they are swallowed, I fix up a tale; with falsehoods unhalloved my friends I regale. 'I'd berries for dinner! They cost seven wads, but they were a winner, a feast for the gods! My friends crowd up closer to hear my glad cry, then go to the grocer some berries to buy, those berries so bitter, and hard as a wedge, that poison a critter, and set teeth on edge. And, having consumed them in sorrow and woe, and having entombed them, they buoyantly go, and tell of the splendor of berries and cream, so luscious, so tender, an epicure's dream! Thus truth is all boggled and shorn of its bloom, thus men are horns-woggled and led to their doom!—WALT MASON.

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## Red Cross Notes.

The following letters were received by the Coleman branch: CALGARY, April 23, 1915.

Your shipment which arrived yesterday was most acceptable. The work was splendid, everything very satisfactory. It is a great pleasure to receive such good work as yours. Please congratulate the Coleman branch on what they are doing for the society.

MARY C. WAAGEN, Superintendent of Supplies, Alberta Provincial Branch, CALGARY, April 28, 1915.

We are forwarding your \$50 for a bed in the Duchess of Connaught hospital, Cliveden, England, same to be named the Coleman bed.

M. PINKHAM,

Hon. Secretary-Treasurer.

At a special meeting of the Red Cross society held Tuesday afternoon of this week in the Council Chamber, the sum of \$25 was voted to be sent to the Provincial branch Calgary.

Ladies wishing to sew for the Red Cross will be welcomed on Friday afternoon, each week, from 2:30 to 5:30 o'clock, at the Institutional club room, Mr. Murray having kindly given the use of the room back of the reading room to the society.

## BORN.

HOLMES—In Coleman, on Monday, May 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Holmes, a daughter.

BRADFORD—In Coleman, on Saturday, May 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bradford, a daughter.

GAIBENO—In Coleman, on Tuesday, May 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. V. Gaibeno, a daughter.

Miss Fulton, who takes Mrs. Davidson's place on the school staff, arrived on Wednesday morning and has taken up her duties.



## PUBLIC NOTICE

A sitting of the District Court will be held at COLEMAN, on THURSDAY, MAY 27th, commencing at 10 a.m.   
 Dated at Edmonton, 12th May, 1915.   
 G. P. OWEN FENWICK,   
 Acting Deputy Attorney General.



## Liquor License Ordinance

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF LIQUOR LICENSE

Application has been made by Daniel Needham for consent to the transfer to himself of the license granted Albert Mute in respect to the saloon, situated on lot 10 and 11, two (2) and three (3), block eleven (11), Coleman, Alberta.   
 If necessary this application will be considered by the Board of License Commissioners at a meeting to be held in the License Branch Office, Suite 200 Commercial Travellers Building, First Street, East, Calgary, on Thursday, June 17th, 1915, at 10 o'clock A.M.   
 Dated at Edmonton the 15th day of May 1915.   
 G. P. OWEN FENWICK,   
 Acting Deputy Attorney General.

## THE NEW

## BRAND ACT

requires the registration of all the Brands in the Province. All persons who registered Brands before December 31st, 1900, will require to have the same re-registered during the present year. Notices are being sent out, but because of changes of address they may not reach some owners of Brands, and all such are requested to communicate with the Recorder of Brands at Medicine Hat at once, giving a description of their Brands and their present address, when full information will be sent them with respect to renewal of the same.

H. A. CRAIG,

Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Province of Alberta.



## The Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League Forcing Province To Expend Huge Sum of Money Which Will Accomplish No Benefit to People

"If the proposed Liquor Act is as weak as you claim it is, and if it is true that The Direct Legislation Act is so constructed as to effectively prevent its application to this prohibitive Act, what then is the object of the temperance people in bringing on a vote next July?"

The above question was put to The Bulletin a few days ago by a man who says he is in favor of prohibition, though he has not been very active in this campaign. If he has any lingering doubts as to the weakness of the proposed Liquor Act, all he has to do is read it over a few times, as we have done, and he will very easily discover what a huge fiasco it really is; and if he still doubts our contention that The Direct Legislation Act is unworkable in this case, or the claim of the Methodist Conference of Alberta (1914) in that respect, we would again advise him to get a copy of that Act also and read what it says.

As to the object of the Temperance and Moral Reform League in taking a vote under these conditions, their object is quite patent, viz., the campaign affords an opportunity for the presentation of temperance arguments in every nook and corner of the Province—it is expected to give weight and impetus to their case, and we readily admit that in an educational way the campaign itself will do far more to make Alberta "dry" than the Liquor Act ever could do.

But there are a few matters which The League, with characteristic forgetfulness, has failed to take into consideration. It would be entirely their own business if the temperance party chose to inaugurate a campaign of education against the use of alcohol, and they might thus sweep the Province from end to end without arousing the slightest opposition—except perhaps from the actual license holders themselves. But when they organize a campaign, under the guise of "prohibition," which they know at the very beginning cannot possibly end in the adoption of such a measure; which at best can only alter the method of regulating the liquor business, depriving the Province of the revenue but still leaving the expenditure necessary to enforce the Act; when they enter upon such an undertaking in a manner that will cost the Province tens of thousands of dollars at a time when hundreds of people do not know where their next meal is coming from; when business firms on all sides are being forced to the wall and commercial pursuits generally are in a panic state, and there is need of husbanding every dollar in the country; when the temperance people embark on any such undertaking under any such fool-hardy conditions then they need not be at all surprised to find life-long temperance

workers opposed to them at every turn.

It cost the Province of Alberta just \$171,075.33 to hold an election on April 17th, 1913, and we know of no reason why this "prohibition" vote will cost any less. Just remember that fact, and then look around you. What do you see? Children going breakfastless to school and supperless to bed—and the Government has had to stop issuing cheques for the relief of these people because they had no more cash to use for the purpose. The Coleman mines in normal conditions employ about eight hundred men—they are not employing a hundred regularly now. What are the others doing? They cannot get work anywhere else, there is no work available anywhere. They were able to eke out an existence during the winter by working at 25c an hour semi-occasionally on work that was financed by Government funds. But the funds are now exhausted, there is no more work, what now?

We know of one hotel-keeper here in The Pass who has kept half a dozen families practically all winter, and if The Temperance and Moral Reform League of Alberta would follow his example and use some of its funds to feed some of the neglected and hungry children of the Province instead of bringing on its bogus "prohibition" campaign at this time, thus incurring a waste of nearly two hundred thousand dollars, it

would be doing something to merit the confidence and respect of the people of the Province. It is useless to theorize to a hungry man by telling him that it is well for him to go hungry now, as by doing so, The Liquor Act will be boosted, that when The Act comes into effect the Province will save empty-ump thousands of dollars annually that are now being spent in alcoholic liquors, etc. The Province won't save because the Act will not give prohibition; the Province will have less money than ever to work on, as it will still have to keep a small army of license inspectors, etc., to enforce The Act, while every cent of revenue from the liquor business to the Province is eliminated.

When the Provincial Government took away all the revenue from the towns that formerly accrued from local liquor licenses the towns had to raise the rate of assessment or taxation.

The Province will have to do exactly the same thing.

## NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE COURT OF CONFIRMATION OF THE TAX ENFORCEMENT RETURN FOR THE TOWN OF COLEMAN, ALBERTA.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour Judge McNeill, Judge of the District Court of the District of Macleod, has appointed

SATURDAY, 11th DAY OF JULY, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in the Council Chamber in the said Town of Coleman, as the time and place for the holding of a Court of Confirmation to confirm the Tax Enforcement Return for the said Town of Coleman for the year of 1914 due to the said Town to the 31st December, 1914.   
 Dated at Coleman, in the Province of Alberta this 26th day of April, 1915.   
 H. ROWES ROBERTS,   
 49-5 Solicitor for the Town of Coleman

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